

DELEGATION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA to the

Conference of the Committee on Disarmament GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

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Dear Joshua:

I enclose some copies of the working paper which we made out of your speech. It continues to have favorable reverberations and this is a way we can get it into the hands of Foreign Ministries, many of whom deal more easily with languages other than English. We are most pleased with the overall impact of your visit here. Nothing happens overnight in this business, but we have seen further confirmation in recent days that some re-thinking is going on in the other side of what use to be called the iron curtain.

I just had forwarded to me here your notes on "Challenge Inspection". I find them very interesting and I am circulating them within the delegation so that we can all give some thought to the considerations you put forward in them. We hope to be leaving here within about a week and are just in the final stages of cleaning up the seabed treaty.

I plan to be in touch with you by phone or letter after I get back to Washington, and would appreciate it if you would let me know if you're in Washington anytime on other business.

Sincerely yours,

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